

**Subject:** Re: Trash, public health and safety  
**From:** Sarah Bell <sarah.bell@lacity.org>  
**Date:** 4/22/20, 12:28 PM  
**To:** Mirna Ezquivel <mirna.ezquivel@lacity.org>  
**CC:** Michael Owens <michael.owens@lacity.org>

Hi Mirna,

This is a vague request. We already provide regular trash pick up at most encampments in your district. Which encampments are we talking about? What's the frequency of collection?

Sarah

On Wed, Apr 22, 2020 at 11:59 AM Mirna Ezquivel <[mirna.ezquivel@lacity.org](mailto:mirna.ezquivel@lacity.org)> wrote:

Hi Sarah, we are working with a church to provide trash bags for the homeless to help them maintain their encampments. What would be the best way for Sanitation to pick-up the trash bags?

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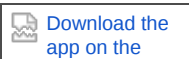
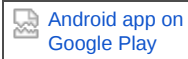
On Mon, Apr 20, 2020 at 4:34 PM Michael Owens <[michael.owens@lacity.org](mailto:michael.owens@lacity.org)> wrote:

ok - can you respond to the Pastor and see how we can get them to her and how it would be picked up?

Michael Owens, District Director  
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On Mon, Apr 20, 2020 at 4:31 PM Jacob Dawe <[jacob.dawe@lacity.org](mailto:jacob.dawe@lacity.org)> wrote:

Yes I have many rolls of trash bags that we can give to people.

Jacob Dawe

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On Mon, Apr 20, 2020 at 4:10 PM Michael Owens

<[michael.owens@lacity.org](mailto:michael.owens@lacity.org)> wrote:

Do we have trash bags we can give her? I assume pick up can be done by Sanitation if it's scheduled.

Michael Owens, District Director

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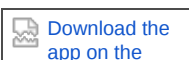
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From: **Kathy Huck** <[kathy.huck@aboutmyfb.org](mailto:kathy.huck@aboutmyfb.org)>

Date: Mon, Apr 20, 2020 at 3:49 PM

Subject: Trash, public health and safety

To: Michael Owens <[michael.owens@lacity.org](mailto:michael.owens@lacity.org)>

Hi Michael,

I realize that these are very busy times. Praying for your continued health and wellbeing.

Today I'm reaching out to ask if the Council office helps to supply trash bags and garbage pick up at the encampments or how that process works in CD 3?

Our team usually hand out trash bags in the encampments and to the unhoused living along the streets. If we can work with you to distribute garbage bags, public health information and trash pick up, I believe it will be another component to adding good public health and safety to the community

I hope to hear your thoughts on this.

Stay safe,

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